

HOUSE BILL 1696

By Curcio

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 39  
and Title 40, relative to criminal offenses.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 39-13-1003, is amended by deleting subsection (b) and substituting the following:

(b) Aggravated burglary of an unoccupied habitation is a Class C felony.

(c) Aggravated burglary of an occupied habitation is a Class B felony.

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 39-13-1004, is amending by deleting subsections (c) and (d) and substituting the following:

(c) Especially aggravated burglary of a building other than a habitation is a Class B felony.

(d) Especially aggravated burglary of a habitation is a Class A felony.

(e) Acts which constitute an offense under this section may be prosecuted under this section or any other applicable section, but not both.

SECTION 3. This act takes effect July 1, 2022, the public welfare requiring it, and applies to all offenses committed on or after that date.